

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 01,057)

In the Application of:

Michel Chevalier

Serial No.: 09/744,659

Filing Date: January 25, 2001

For: Trimer of HIV *env* Gene Expression
Product



Examiner: U. Winkler

Group Art Unit: 1648

Confirmation No.: 3396

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- a) Response to Office Action Mailed June 18, 2002;
- b) Certified English Translation of the Foreign Priority Document; and
- c) return receipt postcard.

2. With respect to fees:

- a) No fee is required.
- b) GENERAL AUTHORIZATION: Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.

3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Box No Fee Amendment, Washington, D.C. 20231 on July 15, 2002.

Date: July 15, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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